

TWO FIRES AT WESTERLY

Playful Dog Upsets Table and Kerosene Lamp Explodes—
Fires From Rubbish Barrels Damages House—Poultry
Prize Winners—Fifth Company Team Defeats South
Kingston, 7 to 2—Sudden Death of Henry E. Moriarty.

If a bill presented in the present session of the general assembly becomes law several stores in Westery will be affected, as provision is made for the sale of patent medicines containing opium or any other narcotic in the state which is not a registered pharmacist. There are now 625 registered pharmacists and assistant pharmacists in the state, which is without permanent location and ten have died during the past year. Twenty-four registered assistant pharmacists have been advanced, and of 60 candidates examined during the year nine failed to qualify.

There are 328 registered stores in Rhode Island, eight new ones being added in the year. Four were known on account of business reversals or changes, and two because they were not conducted in compliance with law. Four registrations were renewed and there were 29 dissolutions and 32 partnerships formed.

Elisha Benjamin Andrews celebrated the 70th anniversary of his birth Saturday at his home in Interlachen. He was president of Brown University, a professor of the Newton Theological seminary and at Cornell college, superintendent of Chicago schools and chancellor of the University of Nebraska, and now a pensioner of the Carnegie foundation. He is best known to the rank and file hereabouts as a civil war veteran and attended many of the reunions. Being an able speaker and decided democrat in manner, he was a general favorite with his comrades of the civil war.

He enlisted at Sheffield in Company C, 1st Connecticut Heavy Artillery, at the age of 17, on May 23, 1861. He was promoted corporal Sept. 18, and to quartermaster sergeant July 22, 1862. He was reduced to corporal Sept. 1, 1862. He was promoted to sergeant June 11, 1863, and to second lieutenant of Company G Sept. 7, 1863. Lieut. Andrews was wounded at the siege of Petersburg, August 24, 1863, losing the sight of his left eye, incapacitating him from further service. He was honorably discharged Oct. 23, 1864.

Walter H. Davis, captain at the Watch Hill life saving station, has received an advance copy of the report of Sup't. Kimball for the third district, which includes the coast of Rhode Island, Fishers Island and adjacent waters. The total number of vessels assisted during the year was 28, and but one was lost. There were 107 persons aboard the vessels assisted and no loss of life. Twenty persons were succored to the station for a total of 26 days. The value of vessels assisted was \$10,265, and of cargoes \$14,800, a total of \$25,065 involved. The total cost of the service was \$160,353.

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the contents of the room were burned or scorched. The damage was slight. The second alarm was sent in shortly after ten o'clock for a fire in the frame building in West Broad street, owned by Mrs. Nellie Rose, who with her family occupied the tenement, the store in the first floor being rented by R. C. Seavey as a market and grocery. The rear of the house is within fifty feet of the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad sparks from passing locomotives coming and has been fired many times. As a safety precaution a corrugated iron roof was put on the building some time ago and that, in a measure, prevented more serious damage Saturday night. This time the fire was started by some barrels filled with paper and rubbish in the yard close to the building and when discovered the flames had almost eaten through the rear of the building and sparks were showered upon the roof.

There were three streams of water on the burning building in short order but the burning of the rear of the building could not be prevented. The fire ate its way into Mrs. Rose's apartment, which had recently been renovated and furnished and did severe damage, mostly by smoke and water. The furnishings were almost wholly consumed. The fire also ate its way into the rear of the building, but the Rose family were apprised of the danger. Mrs. Rose and her children had difficulty in getting out of the smoke-filled building. They lost nearly all their belongings. Mrs. Rose had no insurance on her household effects, but the building was insured.

The contents of the Seavey store were damaged by smoke and water and the Star Fish market, next door, was somewhat damaged. The Rose building is a wooden structure, with buildings of like inflammable material on either side, but the Pascatuck firemen, by hard and persistent work, kept the blaze confined to the rear section of the building.

With a clean record of six straight seasons won the South Kingston Baseball team played against the Fifth company five at the state army in Westery, Saturday night and met defeat by the score of 7 to 2 in a fast game. The lineup was as follows:

Fifth Co.—Sherrman, rf., Williams, cf., May, c., Spencer, 1b., Salamano, 2b., Gelscher, 3b., South, Rindown, Chapel, rf., Trumbull, lf., Redmond, p., Fawley, rf., Chapel, lf.

South Kingston, 2 Goals from floor, Williams, c., Spencer, Redmond, Williams, 1b., Salamano, 2b., Gelscher, 3b., South, Rindown, Chapel, rf., Trumbull, lf., Redmond, p., Fawley, rf., Chapel, lf.

Time: Two twenty-minute halves.

Local Laconics.

William C. Matthews has been representative of the Narragansett Pier life saving station.

Representative Joseph T. Murphy, of Westerly, has presented, by request, an act requiring safety appliances for street cars.

Among the illustrations in a granite rubble journal from five monuments of granite that were quarried, manufactured and set up in Westery.

For Henry E. Moriarty has completed a granite monument to his father, John Moriarty, who died in 1883, and will be set up in the cemetery at Narragansett Pier.

The state senate committee on finance has rejected Senator Louis W. Arnold of Westerly's chairman of the committee and J. Harry Johnston of Providence, was chosen clerk.

Westerly Council, Knights of Columbus held third degree exercises, Sunday afternoon. The work was by District Deputy Dr. John M. O'Connell and the degree team of Narragansett. The uniforms are to be used in cases where measurements are impracticable.

The burglar alarm in the C. W. Willard store rung out in full force at 9 o'clock Sunday morning and I created a ripple of excitement and was formerly a policeman. A thorough search showed no trace of burglary, and it was considered a false alarm.

Battalion drills are held in the state army, Providence, under command of Major Arthur N. Nash, of Westery, in preparation of the Third Artillery District review to Governor Potter, January 26. The First, Fourth, Second and Third companies will participate in this drill.

It is expected that the district court judges and clerks will be elected at a joint session of the general assembly on Wednesday. No opposition has developed against the reelection of Judge Oliver H. Williams and Clerk Clarence E. Roche, of the Third judicial district which includes Westery.

Henry E. Moriarty, in his 61st year, died suddenly of heart trouble Saturday morning at his home in beach street. He had been a resident of Westery for many years, owned considerable real estate and was formerly employed in local granite firms as a sculptor. Mr. Moriarty retired from active work three years ago. He leaves a widow and a daughter, Mrs. Frank Moriarty of New York.

Thomas Gelscher, a countryman, was drunk and abusive on a trolley from White Rock to Westery Saturday night, and in addition refused to pay his fare. When the car reached Dixon square Conductor Murray called

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Yours sincerely,
H. D. BANKS.

Chief Brown and Patrolman Chase, and Gelscher was locked up on charge of evading fare. He was arraigned at a special session of the Third district court Sunday. He pleaded not guilty and the case was continued to Friday's session of court. Bond \$100.

STONINGTON

Local Team Defeats Artillerymen—
Annual Meeting of Second Church—
Mrs. Christopher Ledwith's Death.

The Stonington basketball team played a fast game Friday evening in Borough hall, defeating the Port Terry team 31 to 30.

At the pool and whist matches Friday evening in K. of C. hall between the members of the Young Men's Catholic club of Mystic and the members of Nine council, K. of C. of the borough, the honors were very evenly divided, the Knights winning the pool match by 18 points and losing the whist by 81. At pool the result was as follows: Sullivan of the Catholic club defeated Lyle of the Knights 32 to 27; Tuttle was defeated by Gilmarin 27 to 33; Twomey was defeated by McCourt 28 to 32; Quinn was defeated by W. Wood 24 to 36; with total scores of 112 for the Catholic club and 128 for the Knights. At whist the Catholic club players, with the exception of the last team, defeated their opponents, the



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ANDREW EGGENBERGER.

known and respected resident of the borough. The survivors of the late war, Mrs. James Walsh, and four sons, James, Christopher, Jr., Thomas and Charles Ledwith, all of Stonington.

Borough Briefs.

Mrs. Julia O'Neil of New York is the guest of Mrs. John S. Silver. Miss Sally W. Palmer is spending several weeks in New York. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hyde are entertaining Mrs. Cook of Philadelphia.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: Clerk, James H. Weeks; treasurer, Charles T. Stanton; standing committee, the pastor and the church members. The annual meeting was held on Dec. 23, and the smallest Nov. 16, 15. The largest attendance at the morning services was on June 8 and the smallest on April 13. The adoption of a weekly envelope system is being considered and will be reported on later by the pastor and two others whom he shall appoint.

The annual meeting of the Second Congregational church, held Friday evening in the church pargory, was called to order by Rev. Dwight C. Stone, who acted as moderator, and was opened with prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. The report of the clerk Dr. H. Weeks showed \$158.86 for benevolences, \$78.48 to home and \$78.88 for foreign missions. The report of the Ladies Aid society showed \$284.45 expended and a membership of 19. Treasurer Charles T. Stanton reported \$133.86 received in collections and a balance on hand of \$119.90. The special committee of the church also the ecclesiastical society reported \$1,000.00 for the year. The church debt reported \$1,525 collected. Reports from Sunday school were presented. The church meeting was held on Dec. 23, and the smallest Nov. 16, 15. The largest attendance at the morning services was on June 8 and the smallest on April 13. The adoption of a weekly envelope system is being considered and will be reported on later by the pastor and two others whom he shall appoint.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Christopher Ledwith.

Mrs. Bridget Ledwith, widow of Christopher Ledwith, died Friday night at her home in beach street. She was 65 years old and a native of Ireland. She came to Stonington when a young woman and has been a well

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